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Date: October 20, 2004
Beverly Fletcher**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**PATENT

Inventor(s): **Lee J. Peart, et al.** Docket No.: **60655.5600**
Serial No.: **10/708,569** Confirmation No.: **2568** Group Art Unit: **2635**
Filing Date: **March 11, 2004** Examiner: **TBA**
Title: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SECURING SENSITIVE
INFORMATION DURING COMPLETION OF A TRANSACTION**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE RESPONSE and
RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Mail Stop Missing Parts
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

The Applicants respectfully submit this Petition for Extension of Time and Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts in the above-identified application.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE RESPONSE

This Response is responsive to your Notice to File Missing Parts mailed May 20, 2004. A Response to the aforementioned Notice was due two months from the date of the Notice (*e.g.*, due July 20, 2004). Thus, the Applicants petition for a three (3) month extension of time until October 20, 2004 to submit this Response. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a), a fee of \$950.00 is due. In the event the Examiner determines that a more appropriate time period for extension or fee is warranted, this petition also serves as a petition for the time period and fee as determined by the Examiner. **The Examiner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-2814 the amount correlative to time period as determined by the Examiner.** A duplicate of this Petition is enclosed for your use.